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Dear Mr. Snow

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I've recently been educated  
on the plight of our rivers.

I've been going to the Stanislaus  
river since I was a child. I've  
seen the difference to the river, landscape,  
wild life & healthy recreational use since  
the building of dams. I would urge you  
to look at all other options i.e. conservation  
community awareness, before exposing  
other rivers, areas to the devastation that  
follows after building of dams. It's  
time not to take the "easy way" out.  
& as human kind take responsibility  
for the types of crops planted -  
are they appropriate for California  
climate?

It's time to stop changing  
nature for our conveniences.

Thank you Mr. Snow

